

**IN THE
SUPREME COURT OF INDIANA**

CASE NUMBER:

**ORDER AMENDING RULES FOR ADMISSION TO THE BAR AND
THE DISCIPLINE OF ATTORNEYS**

Under the authority vested in this Court to provide by rule for the procedure employed in all courts of this state and this Court's inherent authority to supervise the administration of all courts of this state, Rule 29, Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Guidelines of the Indiana Rules for Admission to the Bar and the Discipline of Attorneys is amended to read as follows (deletions shown by ~~striking~~ and new text shown by underlining):

**INDIANA RULES FOR ADMISSION TO
THE BAR
AND THE
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Rule 29. Mandatory Continuing Legal Education

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Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Guidelines

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SECTION 3. ACCREDITATION POLICIES.

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(d) Procedure for Attorneys and Judges. An Attorney or Judge may apply for credit of a non-distance education course or non legal subject course either before or after the date on which it is offered. Application for accreditation of a distance

education course or in-house course must be made at least 30 days prior to the Course. The application must:

- (i) contain the information required by and be in the form set forth in the application approved by the Commission and available upon request;
- (ii) be accompanied by the written course outline and brochure used by the Sponsor to furnish information about the course to Attorneys or Judges; and
- (iii) be accompanied by an affidavit of the Attorney or Judge attesting that the Attorney or Judge attended the course together with a certification of the course Sponsor as to the Attorney's or Judge's attendance. If the application for course approval is made before attendance, this affidavit and certification requirement shall be fulfilled within thirty (30) days after course attendance.

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This amendment shall take effect on January 1, 2005.

The Clerk of this Court is directed to forward a copy of this order to the clerk of each circuit court in the state of Indiana; Attorney General of Indiana; Legislative Services Agency and its Office of Code Revision; Administrator, Indiana Supreme Court; Administrator, Indiana Court of Appeals; Administrator, Indiana Tax Court; Public Defender of Indiana; Prosecuting Attorney's Council; Indiana Supreme Court Disciplinary Commission; Indiana Supreme Court Commission for Continuing Legal Education; Indiana Board of Law Examiners; Indiana Judicial Center; Division of State Court Administration; Indiana Judges and Lawyers Assistance Program; the libraries of all law schools in this state; the Michie Company; and the West Group.

The West Group is directed to publish this Order in the advance sheets of this Court.

The Clerks of the Circuit Courts are directed to bring this Order to the attention of all judges within their respective counties and to post this Order for examination by the Bar and general public.

DONE at Indianapolis, Indiana, this _____ day of November, 2004.

Randall T. Shepard
Chief Justice of Indiana

All Justices concur.